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MILLIONS BEHIND DEFENSE OF THAW

Strong Fight to Be Made for White's Murderer.

DISCUSSING INSANITY PLEA

Conference With Dr. Hamilton, the Alienist.

INQUEST TO BEGIN TOMORROW

Defense Said to Fear That Prosecution Will Try to Have Thaw

Declared Insane.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

NEW YORK, June 27.-With Thaw, the murderer of Stanford White, in the Tombs. a long array of lawyers who have the back ing of \$40,000,000, which the family can command, have started to make a strong fight for their client. The opening struggle will be before the board of sanity commissioners appointed by the supreme court, and it is said that they will produce witnesses from Paris, London, Pittsburg and New York to show that young Thaw was not responsible for his act.

It is believed that the full story of Mrs. Thaw will bring out many things behind the tragedy. The remark she made to her husband when she kissed him on the roof garden after he killed White is considered as significant. Then she said to him: "I did not think you would do it in this way.

From this some are led to believe that Thaw had threatened in the presence of his wife to shoot the man who was formerly her friend.

After his large two days' accomplishment in that direction Harry Thaw made no further effort last night to furnish news for the town. Eating, sleeping, exercising and reading the papers, like any other prisoner, made up his program.

The prisoner occupies cell 22, which is a the end of a row, next to the corridor. Deputy Keeper John Hanley said this morning: "I didn't notice anything peculiar about Thaw. He appeared to have passed a quiet night, speaking to nobody and asking for nothing. Nobody came to see him. "When the other prisoners were allowed

to walk in the corridor he went out with the rest. He walked up and down, part of the time with his hands behind him. He does not talk with me or with anybody else. He will have coffee and rolls for breakfast; that's all he wants now." He told his keeper that he woke once in

the night at 1 o'clock, but he soon went to eleep again. "I expect my lawyer to visit me today, and I think my wife will come, too," he

said. "I don't want to see anybody else," he added, "no newspaper men."

It was said at the district attorney's office this morning that Thew would undoubtedly be indicted by the grand jury whatever the report of experts as to his duct of White toward Mrs. Thaw that drove sanity might be.

Conference With Dr. Hamilton.

Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton, the allenist, called this afternoon upon former Judge W. M. K. Olcott of the firm of Black, Olcott, Gruber and Boynge and held a long consultation. Dr. Hamilton and Judge Olcott and when Thaw would be examined by Dr. Hamilton and his colleagues. But the conference today definitely settled the technical

line of Thaw's defense.

of his former achievements in a way that made Mrs. Thaw's name a by-word about town. The defense will, it is said, produce witnesses to prove that White frequently told of his former friendship for Evelyn Nesbit, and that he talked so recklessly that it almost looked as though he was anxious that Thaw should know all about

Mrs. Thaw, who is staying at the Lorraine, on 5th avenue and 44th street, drove away from there about 10:30 o'clock this Thaw, brother of the prisoner, went direct | CONVENTION AT MILWAUKEE morning, and in company with Josiah C. to the office of his counsel, Judge Olcott. Under instructions from her husband's counsel, she refused to talk at all for publication. Judge Olcott said that in company with Josiah C. Thaw she would visit her husband. That would be her first meeting with her husband since he shot White. She wanted to visit him yesterday, but before she knew of the prison regulations as to the hours of visiting prisoners it was too late for her to get a pass. While in Olcott's office it is said that Mrs. Thaw went over with the lawyer the letters White had written to her. Mrs. Thaw left Olcott's office for the Tombs at noon.

Alleged Fear of the Defense.

It was learned this afternoon the only fear the defense now has is that the district attorney may steal a march on Thaw by having him declared insane. If the present insanity experts now employed by the district attorney to pass upon Thaw's sanity should decide that he was insane at the time he shot White, or was at all in-



Mrs. Harry K. Thaw.

(From a photo taken very recently.) sane, the district attorney could have him committed to the asylum for the crimina insane at Mattewan. There Thaw would have to remain indefinitely, and whenever he was pronounced sane he would still have to be tried. Such a move on the part of the district attorney might result in the practical imprisonment of Thaw for several years, even though he might ultimately be released upon the trial that would have

to follow. It was learned today that Thaw's counsel feel so sure of his speedy acquittal before a jury that they would regret very much to see the district attorney have him commit-

ted to Mattewan. The defense will attempt to show not only that Thaw's constitution was undermined and mind unbalanced by the use of drugs in the past, but that it was the con-Thaw to the use of drugs.

It was also learned today that when the Delafields were called in to act as counsel for Thaw, Lewis L. Delafield, having had little experience in the criminal law, was of the opinion that it would be best to delay the trial as long as possible. But no sooner did the Delafields turn over the talked over the case for nearly an hour with case of Black, Olcott, BGruber & Boynge a view to selecting a corps of experts on than there was a change in the policy of insanity to examine Thaw. At the close of defense. The new counsel believe that the the conferences neither the lawyer nor the sympathy of the public will be with young physician would say who had been selected Thaw as soon as all the facts are known, as they must be known in the next few weeks, and counsel now believe that the speedier the trial the better, because if speedier the trial the better, because if States government and the reports of the Thaw be tried in the next two or three investigation which were published a few Although no member of former Judge Ol- months the public would not have forgotten sott's law firm would discuss the case at all the story of Stanford White's career, his



Harry Thaw Being Taken From Police Station to Court. He Thew Up His Hand to Shield His Face From the Crowd.

today, it was learned from trustworthy "bachelor" quarters in Madison Square sources that the plea of insanity would be Tower, etc. interposed merely because that is the most convenient peg upon which to hang the SPECULATING ON ALL facts in the case which will really have weight with the jury that will try the case. The evidence which the defense will endeavor to get before the jury will relate to White's friendship for Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. and an effort will be made to show the dual Mfe which White is said to have been lead-

Intention of the Defense.

Harry Thaw is today, and has been for that he has been addicted to the use of which the defense hopes to show made him marriage, but that after the marriage he could not restrain his temptation to boast (Continued on Tenth Page)

THE PHASES OF THE CASE

NEW YORK. June 27 .- With the police, coroner and district attorney's office working practically day and night to learn all the details of the events which led up to damages. Hundreds of chimneys fell, picthe murder of Stanford White by Harry tures were shaken from walls, occupants of K. Thaw Monday night at Madison Square dwellings were thrown to the ground and a long time, "insane enough for all pur- Garden and all sources silent as to their poses of defense" was the way a friend of discoveries, there was much room for specuhis put it today when asked if he thought | lation today on all phases of the case. The that Thaw was really insane. It is said motive for the murder, the police believe, was outlined in Thaw's brief statement drugs in a degree that somewhat unbal- that his home had been ruined, and with anced his mind at times. But the thing this as a basis of investigation detectives were sent in various directions looking up

BRYAN OFFICIALS AT ODDS

Indorsement by Wisconsin **Democrats Expected.**

Expected That Tariff Revision Will Be Urged.

DANIEL H. GRADY CHAIRMAN-

Delivers a Eulogy of the Nebraska Leader in His Address to

the Delegates.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 27 .- The democratic state convention, called for the purpose of adopting a platform to be recommended to the candidates who will be nominated at the primary election next fall, met at the Alhambra Theater in this city today. There were about 700 delegates in their seats when Chairman H. H. Manson of Wausau rapped for order and announced the names of the temporary officers. Among the prominent delegates in attendance are former United States Senator William F. Vilas of Madison, Representative Charles H. Weisse of the sixth district, and National Committeeman Timothy E. Ryan of Waukesha. Prior to the convention it seemed to be the general opinion that William Jennings Bryan would be indorsed for the nomination for President at the national convention in 1908, and that the platform, among other things, would favor a revision of the tariff and would declare for legisla-tion affecting trusts. Daniel H. Grady of Portage was temporary chairman of the

Bryan Eulogized.

Mr. Grady denounced in severe terms the republican policy of protection, the treaty with the Sultan of Jolo, and proceeded:

"We have seen the ill-gotten millions, the levied blackmails, the tribute paid for governmental favor, the money wrongfully withheld by the life insurance companies from widows and children poured out upon a tempted and deluded people, and by a criminal conspiracy and coercion without parallel in history purchasing the highest

office within this great republic.
"But as 'truth crushed to the earth will rise again,' the united democracy stands today facing the rising sun of the east, watching for the face and waiting for the sound of the voice that for a decade has, in the cause of true democracy, pleaded the promptings of his majestic mind, encouragner on the troubled seas, saying, 'Sail on, sail on, sail on; the craft will yet ride triumphantly to the lea

Recognizing in him the embodiment of the principles of democracy with outstretch-ed arms, he is today halled and welcomed as the leader of his party, and though twice defeated by means corrupt and weapons be-fouled, now bidding defiance to their power, he who led democracy's brave battallo the memorable campaigns of 1896 and 1900 lives the loftlest and in the hearts of the American people the best beloved of them may live to see the triumph of the cause and answer the people's call to the helm of state, leaving an official record as stainless as that of his private life, we all hope. We may rest assured that in the sunset of his political career he may fittingly emulate Henry Clay in calling to God in heaven to witness that he had served his country with a single heart and never held her interests subordinate to his own."

TO REPORT ON BEEF.

Col. Hobbs of the British Army Arrives in New York.

NEW YORK, June 27 .- Lieut, Col. Percy Dyre Hobbs, chief instructor of the English Army Service Corps School at Aldershot, arrived here today on the steamer Carmania. He comes as the representative of his government .o inspect the meat intended for use in the British army. Lieut. Col. Hobbs' appointment to his present post was a direct outgrowth of the investigation of the packing industry made by the United

HARVARD'S COMMENCEMENT.

Secretary Bonaparte Presides Over Meeting of Alumni.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 27.-Accompanied by all the pomp and ceremony characteristic of similar previous occasions, the 270th commencement exercises were held at Harvard University today. The recipients of degrees today were 917, not including the honorary degrees or degrees out of course. Only graduates of twenty-five and more years' standing were admitted to the seats for the exercises in Sanders' Theater, reserved for the alumni.

Nearly all the classes held receptions during the day in various parts of the college yard. The election of members to the board of overseers and the annual meeting of the Harvard Alumni Association were also held during the forenoon. Secretary of the Navy Charles J. Bonaparte was the presiding officer at the alumni association meet-

Among the recipients of honorary degrees today were the following: Doctor of laws-Ethan Allen Hitchcock, Secretary of the Interior; Frederick Altoff, director of the Prussian universities and promoter of the exchange of professors between German and American universities. Doctor of divinity-James B. Gregg of Colorado, Congregational clergyman; David Utter, Denver, Col., Unitarian clergyman. At the alumni meeting Secretary Charles J. Bonaparte was elected president. It was voted to amend the constitution so

make eligible for membership in the association men who have received degrees from the law scientific and graduate schools of the university.

EARTHQUAKES IN WALES.

From the Walls.

Houses Rocked and Pictures Shaken

CARDIFF, Wales, June 27 .- Violent earthquake shocks were experienced throughout South Wates at 9:45 this morning. Houses rocked and many of the cheaper ones were people fled from their houses shrieking in panic with visions of the San Francisco disaster before them. Though there were many narrow escapes from falling chimneys and copings, there were no casualties so far as known.

Earthquake shocks were also felt at Bristol, Ilfracombe and elsewhere. They were accompanied by loud rumblings. which the defense hopes to show made him a raving maniac just before he shot White had not only rendered was that White had not only rendered concerning Stanford White's conduct. Thaw, of terrifying experiences. While underground they were thrown about in all difference on the concerning Stanford White's conduct. Thaw, of terrifying experiences. While underground they were thrown about in all difference concerning Stanford White's conduct. Thaw, of terrifying experiences. minent ground they were thrown about in all di-rections like nine-pins, and they all left were Eugene Rowley, Fred Scott and Den-the pits as speedily as possible. With regy through their

INQUIRY INTO MRS. KINNAN'S DEATH TANGLED UP.

Special Disputch to The Star. NEW YORK, June 27.-The investigation into the death of Mrs. Alice Kinnan, who was slain in the Bronx June 8, has resolved itself into a tangle of the worst kind, and there is little hope at present of it being unraveled. The secret inquiry which began last Saturday has been abandoned, and the coroner and the police are at odds. Relatives of Mrs. Stenton who called to

day at the old Shadyside mansion in Washington avenue where her daughter was murdered, expressed their indignation over the way the place has been ransacked by GATHERING SMALLEST IN YEARS the police and the liberties they have taken in conducting "select" parties through it. Many things that Mrs. Stenton prized are missing, and her relatives are going to ask Police Commissioner Bingham to see that they are returned.

When Coroner McDonald was told this morning that Burton W. Gibson, Mrs. Stenton's attorney, was going to bring suit against him on account of Mrs. Stenton's rigid examination, he declared he would fight it and prove to the lawyer that he didn't knew what he was taking about.

The coroner denied emphatically Lawyer Gibson's allegations that he had piled Mrs. Stenton with liquor in last Saturday's inquiry, and said that if such a thing was done he was entirely ignorant of it. Coroner McDonald also denied the allegation that he had been brutal in his treatment of the old means.

of the old woman,
"Mrs. Stenton was not dragged to my
office," said Coroner McDonald, "nor was
she browbeaten and bullied by me with the idea of getting her to confess to the mur-der of her daughter. I never once sus-pected her of the crime, and there has never been any evidence to connect her with it."

When told that Lawyer Gibson had employed counsel to look after Mrs. Stenton's interests, Coroner McDonald said that he was rather late in doing it, and, as a matter of fact, should have done it in the first

The formal inquest into the murder of Mrs. Kinnan will begin a week from today. ADJOURNMENT HANGS FIRE.

Leaders Still Hope for It by Saturday Night.

House and Senate leaders are still work ing toward adjournment by next Saturday night. It is true that today several conference reports were in very bad shape, but notwithstanding that fact the leaders think that the next three days will be

sufficient to wind up the business: The immigration bill will go over until next session. The Senate is altogether adverse to dealing with it at this session. The House leaders are not insistent so long as there is no radical action. They are perfectly willing to allow the immiing his countrymen in the days of trial gration laws to remain unamended for the and tribulation, as did Columbus the maripresent until a proper bill can be secured. The meat inspection bill was a subject from Emery. It could not be learned for further conference today, but no agreement was reached. The conferees met

again at 3 o'clock this afternoon to con-tinue their efforts. The conferees on the pure food bill were still at it this after-noon, but were not able to report progress.

CASE OF MRS. MORRIS.

Senator Tillman Probably Will Speak on It Tomorrow.

Senator Tillman was not feeling well resolution for an investigation of the police force of this city with special reference to the ejectment of Mrs. Morris from the be well enough to do so tomorrow immediately after the morning business of the Senate had been disposed of. Senator Tillman has been feeling so ill that had it not been for the urgent business that he has in charge in connection with the rate bill he would not have been at the Senate yesterday or today.

CANAL BILL READY.

It Will Go Immediately to the President.

The House today, without debate, passed the bill providing for the construction of a lock-type canal across the Isthmus of Panama, Mr. Hepburn of Iowa moving that the Senate bill be substituted for the House

No further action by the Senate is neces sary, and as soon as the bill is signed by the presiding officers of the Senate and House it will go to the President.

RATE BILL CONFERENCE.

Conflicting Rumors as to Prospect of Agreement.

The conferees on the rate bill were very far apart this morning, and there seemed to be no likelihood that any progress would be made in connection with that bill during the day at least. It was expected to have a meeting of the conferees at 2 o'clock today, but it developed that Representatives Sherman and Richardson of the House members of the conference committee, would not be able to be present, and it was also understood that their attitude toward the bill was such that there was no ikelihood that they would be able to come to the view of the Senate, especially to the

pass amendment. The fact is there is such a strong difference of opinion on this subject among the conferees that stories were circulated today to the effect that it is likely to be several days before an agreement can be reached. A strong effort has been made to secure an adjournment of Congress by Saturday evening at the latest, but there are a great many senators who doubt whether that will be possible and who believe that Congress will be kept here for several days next week.

What appears to be a deadlock in this

What appears to be a deadlock in this case is only similar to conditions that arise frequently in the closing days of a session, and it has frequently happened also that when agreement seems farthest off the opposing forces manage to get together with lightning rapidity. For this reason the hope of reaching an adjournment by Saturday has not been abandoned by any means on the part of those who have been advocating an early adjournment.

Resignation of Lieut. McCormick. The resignation of First Lieut. Provence McCormick of the Marine Corps has been accepted to take effect at once. Lieut. Mc-Cormick is a native of Virginia and rose from the ranks of the Marine Corps. He was commissioned second lieutenant in September, 1900, and was promoted first lieutenant in March, 1903. Recently he has been stationed at the marine barracks at Portsmouth, N. H.

Drowned in an Oil Tank

Reconsiders Intention Not to Go to Harrisburg.

CAPTURES EMERY

Convening of the Pennsylvania Democrats.

Great Enthusiasm for Bryan Manifest-

ed - Adjournment After Short Session.

Special Dispatch to The Star. HARRISBURG, Pa., June 27 .- Col. James M. Guffey at the last moment reconsidered his determination not to attend the demo cratic state convention and arrived here at 4 o'clock this morning. After a conference with the men who have stood by him in his fight to nominate a democrat for governor he said this morning:

"Senator Arthur G. Dewalt is my choice for governor because he is most prominently mentioned of all democrats who have thus far been suggested. His name will go before the convention and it will be a fight

to the finish." Col. Guffey since his arrival has been re ceiving delegations from all parts of the state and was doing his best to stem the tide toward Lewis Emery, jr., the independent republican. Not many people be-Heved that he could do so, however. Wil-Ham J. Brennen had the boldness to say:
"Senator Dewalt is going through with

this fight and I believe that he will be

Mr. Brennen, who is Guffey's chief lieutenant here, made this statement as if he believed it: Jere S. Black, son of former Lieut. Gov. Chauncey F. Black, was agreed upon last night for second place on the ticket by practically all of the Emery and Guffey democrats, but he refused to accept the nomination. "I could not afford to accept that nomination"

that nomination," he said, "and would not have it." Senator J. K. P. Hall, who has been managing Emery's campaign, called this morning on Guffey at the latter's head-quarters. In explaining his visit Senator Hall said:

"You must recollect that Guffey has been a very warm friend of mine. I have been against him in this fight, and we have licked him to the queen's taste. It's all over but the shouting."

Guffey Captures Four Counties. After a forenoon of hard work Col. Guffey managed to capture four countles what counties had surrendered to the colonel, but it is said that the delegates elected from them were not sufficient in number to make any material chance in the situation, and before the convention met it still looked as if Emery had it. A concerted raid is to be made upon

Guffey's leadership as a result of this fight by the Wanamaker-Gordon-Fagan forces, and it is now well under way, the ultimate object being to make former Judge James Gay Gordon of Philadelphia the state leader of the democracy. James K. P. Hall, who has been leading the Emenough today to make his speech on the ery fight for governor, refused to be a party to this movement, however.

Mr. Hall issued the following statement

today: "At least in so far as I am concerned. White House offices. He hoped, however, to this has not been an anti-Guffey movement. Col. Guffey is and always has been a wise, careful and considerate leader, and right-fully enjoys the good will, confidence and respect of an overwhelming majority of the Pennsylvania democrats. I will not, in the event of Mr. Emery's success, be a party to any scheme or movement calculated to interfere with his leadership or supplant him in the national committee.

"The democracy needs him badly in the position he occupies. I can see no one to take his place. No friend of mine will join any movement against him. He has acted in the most fair and honorable man-ner in the contest now on. Expressing his conviction, which, by the way, I believe to have been a thoroughly honest one, he has adhered to the position that a democrashould be nominated for governor. He has also fairly and honestly carried out his word not to interfere with the dele-

gates in their choice of a candidate. Smallest Convention in Years.

The democratic state convention which met today in the old Harrisburg Opera practitioner. House was the smallest in point of attendance that the party has held in years. The absence of railroad passes had much to do with it. The business of the convention was to nominate candidates for governor, lieutenant governor, auditor general and secretary of internal affairs and the adoption of a platform to fit the occasion. The delegates were very slow in getting together and the Emery people became suspicious that there was "something doing." At Guffey's headquarters there were crowds of delegates waiting to see the colonel and as they were being ushered in one by one by W. J. Brennen it looked as if the Emery people might have grounds for their sus-picions.

State Chairman Donnelly called the con vention to order at 12:06 p.m. After the announcement of the temporary officers of the convention Michael J. Ryan of Philadelphia assumed the temporary chairmanship and made a speech.

Loud Cheers for Bryan.

As Ryan reviewed the ills of the country and scathingly attacked everything republican he was given much applause. His mention of W. J. Bryan's name was the signal for a tumultuous outburst. By the time he had finished he had the delegates thoroughly aroused. He mentioned Bryan's name again at the close of his speech, and it had the intended effect. It was apparent to all that the convention would give Bryan an indorsement if oc-casion presented itself.

Joseph Howley of Pittsburg said that he intended to see that Bryan resolutions would go before the convention if he were not given proper attention in the platform. The platform makers, however, had given President Roosevelt a pat for "carrying out the reforms promulgated by Bryan," without making a straight-out indorsement of Bryan's candidacy for the presidency.

The substitution of Joseph Howley's name

The substitution of Joseph Howley's name for that of Charles A. Fagan was the only change made in the Allegheny county delegation. Guffey had promised to give the Emery people ten of the twenty-nine delegates from that county, but there were no substitutions, which made good the loss of two of the delegates which the Emery people were unable to land when the legislative conventions were held in Allegheny county.

After the committees were named After the committees were named the convention took a recess until 2 o'clock. This allowed one hour for luncheon. There were no contests to be disposed of by the committee on contested seats.

The committee on permanent organization decided upon John T. Lenahan of Luzerne county for permanent chairman.

Japanese Contributions.

ward contributions for the relief of the earthquake and fire sufferers in San Francisco, and today came another contribution, this time of \$36,000, remitted through the Japanese embassy here.

THE BATTLESHIPS.

Estimates for Their Construction From Two Navy Yards.

As a check upon the bids opened last Saturday for the construction of the 16-, 000-ton battleships South Carolina and Michigan, Secretary Bonaparte has secured estimates for the construction of such ships from the New York and Mare Island navy yards. The Mare Island considerably underbids the New York yard, notwithstanding Congress has heretofore had to allow a differential of 4 per cent in favor of the California shipbuilders to meet the increased cost of structural steel on the coast. The Mare Island bid for such a ship was \$3,657,778.30 and the New York bid was \$4.073.645.

While the lowest of these bids is a little more than \$100,000 in excess of the lowest bid from the private shipbuilding concerns, it is still considerably below the majority of such bids. The Secretary of the Navy, under the law, is authorized to have a ship constructed at a navy yard if he regards the private bids as exorbitant, but it is not believed at the department that he will do so in this case.

EXECUTIVE ORDER.

In Regard to Half Holidays at Navy Yards.

Saturday half-holidays during the months of July, August and September have been granted by President Roosevelt to skilled mechanics and laborers, and to all employees in the classified service at the navy yards and naval stations of the United States. The following executive order has

been issued by the President: "It is hereby ordered that on Saturdays during July, August and September, until further notice, four hours, exclusive of time for luncheon, shall constitute a day's work for skilled mechanics and laborers, and employees in the classified civil service, at all navy yards and naval stations of the United States; provided, that if any skilled mechanic or laborer shall work more than four hours on any Saturday during the months aforesaid he shall be paid for such extra work at the rate of fifty per centum in addition to his regular and normal compensation and no more."

The same benefit is extended in another general order to the skilled mechanics, laborers and employees in the classified serv-ice of the government printing office of this

TREATY HIBERNATES. No Action Possible This Session on

Santo Domingo. The Santo Domingo treaty will not be acted upon by the Senate at this session. The committee on Foreign Relations adjourned today until next session of Congress and the treaty was left without action. It is expected an effort will be made in executive session today to have a day fixed for a vote on the treaty early in December. Openough to defeat it and it is the opposition therefore that is seeking to have a time fixed for a vote.

CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER Christian Scientist on Trial for Ne-

glect That Caused Death. LONDON, June 27 .- Dr. George Robert Adcock was arraigned at the Old Bailey today, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Maj. John Nicholas Whyte of the Lancashire fusillers. He

pleaded not guilty. The attorney general, Sir J. Lawson Walton, opened the case before a crowded court, many ladies being among those present. He said Dr. Adcock had been in practice many years, but in February last he retired and devoted himself to the pursuit of Christian Science.

As a medical man, Dr. Adcock must have known that bed sores and an abscess, the neglect of which caused Maj. Whyte's death, needed antiseptics, but all he prescribed was surface dusting with a zinc oxide powder. The attorney general con-tended that the evidence showed Dr. Ad-cock was called in by Maj. Whyte's friends to treat the sores as a medical man. Incidentally the attorney general mentioned that, although he professed to be a Christian Scientist, strychnine and morphia were found in Dr. Adcock's possession when ar-rested.

Dr. Adcock has been erroneously described as a Christian Science "healer," although he was never a Christian Science

ALGECIRAS TREATY.

Senate Agrees to a Date for Voting on It.

The treaty between the United States and the powers of Europe in relation to Morocco, which was negotiated as the result of the Algeciras conference, will be reported to the Senate at the first meeting of the foreign relations committee next December, and voted on not later than December 20. An agreement to this effect was reached today. The democrats opposed the treaty and the republicans of the committee were united for it. It was apparent, however, that it could not be brought to a vote at the present session, and the republican members of the committee accepted the foregoing program, which met with no opposition. Senator Cullom, chairman of the Senate committee, asked for the unanimous consent of the Senate to vote on the ratifica-tion of the Algeciras treaty relative to

Morocco on December 12 next. He said that the committee on foreign relations had agreed to favorably report the treaty. The consideration of the request was deferred until an executive session could be FAGAN REDIVIVUS.

Now Said to Be Chief of a Gang of Cattle Thieves.

Fagan, the renegade negro who deserted the 24th Infantry in the Philippines and caused a reign of terror before his reported death, has, according to rumors brought to the attention of the bureau of insular affairs through dispatches in the Manila papers, come to life and is leading a gang of cattle thieves in the province of Panga-

worked on the Benguet road is said to be led by Fagan in stealing carabao. In two months over one hundred valuable Austraian carabao disappeared and are supposed to have been taken into the mountains between Zambales and Pangasinan. Officers have learned that the original thieves are Filipinos, but they are supposed to be directed in their efforts by the renegade negroes, who dispose of the animals.

After Fagun deserted because of a grievance he had against officers he followed his energies for a time, and marrying a native woman became the head of a gang of bandits which worked terror for two charging him with the embezziement of

THOS, E, WAGGAMAN VICTIM OF CANCER

Weather.

showers.

Fair tonight; Thursday

Death Occurred at Country Home Near Annapolis. Md.

AFTER PROLONGED ILLNESS

Sketch of His Career in Business Circles of Washington.

FAMILY CONNECTIONS

Was Prominent as Real Estate Dealer -For Years Treasurer of Catholic University.

Special Dispatch to The Star. ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 27 .- Thomas E. Waggaman, formerly of Washington, died

at 11 o'clock this morning after a prolonged illness of facial cancer. Death took place at the farmhouse which had been occupied by Mr. Waggaman and his family at South river, seven miles from Annapolis. Prominent in Business. Mr. Waggaman was prominent in the real estate business and in Catholic circles. His

knowledge of real estate values was excelled by few brokers. His faith in the future of local real estate, especially in the northwest suburbs, led to his purchase of the large tract known as Woodley. To the enhancement in value of this tract he looked, it is said, to stem the tide of financial disaster which finally overwhelmed him-Had the increase in values arrived a few years sooner, it is believed, the chapter of financial failure would never have been written in the history of Thomas E. Wag-

The position attained by Mr. Waggaman among the Catholic clergy of Washington has never been reached by any other man here. This prevalent opinion not only secured for Mr. Waggaman the office of the first treasurer of the Catholic University, but also was the means of bringing to him for investment church moneys held ly many of the local Catholic pastors.

Nearly every Catholic priest in the city
when asked by parishioners to name a
safe investment for little savings and idle

money almost invariably advised that Mr. Waggaman be made the custodian of such funds. Mr. Waggaman's charity, while not of the ostentatious variety. sive character. Many instances are related by his friends when he carried a poor fam-

every charitable cause, it is stated, found him a ready subscriber. Not only was his money subject to calls for charity, but he gave freely of his time.

For many years he held the office of president of the St. Vincent de Paul's Society, a Catholic organization, which, with no recompense or hope of reward, puts forth every effort to alleviate the suffering

ily rent free over a severe winter. Nearly

of the poor of the District without regard to creed or color. Mr. Waggaman in July, 1904, was holding an enviable position in the community. Considered to be a man of large wealth there were few if any business men who would not have taken his note for any reasonable amount or cashed his check without question. As proof of this his note for \$6,000 was cashed by a local bank only

were instituted against him.

days before bankruptcy proceedings

Almost as a thunderbolt out of the clean sky was the announcement that steps had been taken to have him declared a bank-rupt. Rumors had been circulated for several months prior, interest payments had, it is said, been passed over and there were in the possession of two or three local at-torneys claims against Waggaman, which they had been asked to adjust. But of this, of course, the general public was unaware and the news, when first announced, seemed to be incredible. Only a month or two before, when asked by the authorities of the Catholic University, who had become solicitous as to the security of the vast sums in his hands belonging to the university. Mr. Waggaman had declared that in his opinion he was worth a million over and above his liabilities.

Came to Him as Surprise. The adjudication in bankruptcy, according to the opinion of many, came as a surprise to Mr. Waggaman himself. He opposed the proceedings until it became apparent that opposition was useless. No preparation for such a contingency had, it is claimed, been made by him. No funds apparently had been sequestered with which a life of comfort might be maintained, but Mr. Wagganman gave up all his property and with his wife retired to an humble home on a farm near Annapolis,

where he died. The bankruptcy proceedings were precipitated by the filing of a trust for nearly \$900,-000 to secure the Catholic University that amount as being the total of the funds held by Mr. Waggaman as treasurer. titions were filed before adjudication was decreed by the court. Technical objections arose to the first two petitions, one of which was filed by secured creditors, who held some collateral for the indebtedness to them, and the second being signed by some secured and some unsecured creditors.

A third petition on behalf of unsecured only was acted on by the court creditors only was acted on by the cour and Mr. Waggaman was declared a bank

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After a meeting of creditors Mr. H. Rozier Dulany was appointed trustee of the bankrupt's affairs, and it was only after he had examined the securities that the extent of the failure was realized.

Claims were filed before Referee Andrew Y. Bradley, to whom the case was signed by the court, amounting to about \$5,000,000. The value of the assets of the estate is still problematic. Strong effort has been made to set aside the trust of \$900,000 to the Catholic University as a preference, and the case is still pending, no decision having yet been secured. yet been secured.

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Among the assets turned over by Mr. Waggaman was his collection of pictures and curios, on which he set a valuation of \$900,000. A bill of sale conveying this collection to the Catholic University had been received in November, 1903, but the actual possession of the collection had not been surrendered by Mr. Waggaman, the collection being housed in an addition to his home at 3300 O street.

The counsel for the university made claim to the collection under the bill of sale, but the collection was ordered sold by the court and the lien, whatever it may be, of the university was transferred to the proceeds of the sale.

Sale of the Art Collection.

Trustee Dulany took the collection to New York, and in January, 1905, it was sold for